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25X1 4. [] LEGISLATION Called Carolyn Fuller, Legislative Assistant to Senator Walter Huddleston (D., Ky.), to answer a question she had posed to me the previous day at the intelligence charter hearing at which Richard Helms testified. Ms. Fuller had asked what the statutory cite was for the "authority of the Ambassador." Ms. Fuller did not indicate what her interest was in the issue. I informed her via phone that the cite is subsection 16, Public Law 93-475, 22 U.S.C. subsection 2680a.

25X1 5. [] LIAISON Accompanied Ted Shackley, IC Staff, and other IC Staff personnel to two meetings with Jim Bush, House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence staff, and other Committee staff, to discuss present and proposed collection tasking functions.

25X1 6. [] BRIEFING Accompanied [] NFAC/CSS, to a current intelligence briefing on Africa for Senator Sam Nunn (D., Ga.). Frank Sullivan, Staff Director, Senate Armed Services Committee, sat in as did one member of the Senator's staff.

25X1 7. [] BRIEFING Called Don Waunch, Legislative Assistant, in the office of Representative Jim Lloyd (D., Calif.), on the direction of [] Acting Legislative Counsel. Mr. Waunch told me that Mr. Lloyd and himself were going to Cuba on 27 May and that the Congressman was interested in knowing whatever we might have to share with him on Cuban needs for aviation materials, computer materials, cultural exchanges with the U.S. and any perceptions that we might have of Cuban views on skyjacking. He asked me to determine the length of any proposed briefing and said that he would work the briefing into the Congressman's schedule (which is very busy). I said that I would get back to him and have passed on the broad requirement to [] NFAC/CSS 25X1

25X1 8. [] LIAISON Tom Latimer, Staff Director, House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, called with a question from Representative Wyche Fowler (D., Ga.), Member of Subcommittee on Evaluation. The question is whether CIA presently has people operating [] The answer is no.

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9. [] LIAISON Called Joe DiGeorgio, GAO, International Division, to inform him that pursuant to the recent luncheon conversation between the DDCI and Comptroller General Elmer B. Staats, GAO. There has been a standdown on granting of codeword clearances to GAO. Mr. DiGeorgio asked that I appeal this decision for a ten day clearance. I said I would get back to him.

10. [] LIAISON Called Dick Giza, House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence staff, and asked him about the May 22 reception for Representative Charles Rose (D., N. Car.), Chairman, Subcommittee on Evaluation. He told me that it was a fund raiser reception and the wives were invited. He went on to ask me to set up a meeting between himself and Evan Hineman, OWI, between the 30th of May and the 2nd of June. He requested a briefing of technical aspects, of what OWI does and how, as well as a display of the [] system. I said I would look into it and get back to him.

11. [] LIAISON Called Thomas K. Latimer, Staff Director, House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, to tell him (in response to his question to [] of our office) that the Agency is preparing internal regulations in support of Executive Order 12036, but that these were still in the process of being coordinated and were not yet ready for passage to the Committee. I also told Mr. Latimer that Congressman Robert L. Leggett (D., Calif.) had requested a briefing on Cuban involvement in Africa and the Middle East. I said that inasmuch as we would be briefing the Committee on the same subject on the afternoon of 18 May would the Committee object to the inclusion of Congressman Leggett in the Committee briefing. Mr. Latimer said that he much preferred that we contact and brief Mr. Leggett separately.

12. [] LIAISON Called Don Quade, Department of State, SY Liaison with GAO, to get some detail on the GAO request for codeword clearances and access to State's Command Center. Mr. Quade told me that the threat assessments that the GAO people wished to review were 99% CIA material and were classified at the SI, TK level. Mr. Quade said that there was nothing new in this material for the GAO people and that he had told Mr. DiGeorgio that there really was no need for the GAO investigators to read this material. Mr. Quade asked to let him know whatever our final decision is on granting the GAO people SI, TK clearances.

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25X1 13. [] LIAISON Received a call from George
Murphy, Director, Office of Classified National Security Information,
Office of the Secretary of the Senate, requesting that Agency representatives
✓ review a clean copy of the sanitized transcript of the closed Senate debate
on the President's airplane sales proposals. Later in the day, I accompanied
25X1 [] NFAC, to Murphy's office where [] reviewed the transcript 25X1
and gave Agency authorization for its release.

25X1 14. [] LIAISON Received a call from Stan
Taylor, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, who informed me
he had accepted proposed Agency changes in his study on CIA reporting
on Soviet oil prospects. Taylor told me he thought the study would be
released this evening.

25X1 15. [] LIAISON Received a call from George Moses,
in the office of Representative Robert Leggett (D., Calif.). Moses thanked
me for the material I had previously delivered [] 25X1
25X1 [] and asked for a briefing for himself and the Congressman on 22 May
at 11:00 a.m. on the Cuban presence in Africa and the Middle East.

25X1 16. [] LIAISON Met with Tom Moore, Senate
Select Committee on Intelligence staff, who informed me the Committee
had approved his study [] and had voted to send 25X1
it to the President and DCI. I arranged to pick up the copy from Moore
tomorrow morning. Moore gave me a brief summary of the contents of
the report.

25X1 17. [] LIAISON Received a call from Jean Evans,
Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, who said a constituent of
Senator Charles Mathias' (R., Md.) had asked for information on the
Agency. I agreed to deliver pamphlets to Evans at my next opportunity for
forwarding to the constituent. Evans was most appreciative.

25X1 18. [] LIAISON Met with Bill Miller, Staff Director,
Senate Select Committee on Intelligence, and asked him if the Committee's
annual report would contain any reference to the [] 25X1
investigation. Miller said it would not. I also told Miller we were still
awaiting notification from the Committee that it supported our contention
that Congressional documents in our possession could not be reached under
FOIA. Miller asked me to speak to staff member David Shaw about this
and I told him I had but had been unsuccessful in getting an answer. Miller
said he would speak to Shaw.